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ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

- Adult educators must meet all vendor training requirements before administering assessments.
- Assessment instruments shall be administered in a proctored environment and in accordance with vendor and KYAE assessment guidelines.
- Adult educators should consult <u>PDtrack</u> for KYAE training on assessments.

ASSESSMENT ACCOMMODATIONS

- Reasonable accommodations for assessment shall be provided to students when:
 - a. The student has disclosed the presence of a disability and has provided documentation by a qualified professional of eligibility for accommodations under the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)/Section 504.
 - b. An informal assessment/screening has resulted in a determination that accommodations are warranted.
- Accommodated assessments shall be in compliance with the fiscal agent's policies and procedures regarding accommodations.
- Accommodated assessments shall be in compliance with test publisher recommendations.
- Typical assessment accommodations for students with a documented disability include large print, extended time, audio-cassette, calculator for math, private room and break time.
- The accommodation must be specific to the disability and address only the documented functional limitations. Adult educators should note that inappropriate accommodations may lead to inaccurate test results.